

The Board of Regents
The University of the South

Resolution of Appreciation for
John M. McCardell, Jr.

WHEREAS, at its meeting on October 12, 2019, the Board of Regents adopted the Resolution of Appreciation for John M. McCardell, Jr., previously passed by the University's Board of Trustees at its meeting on October 11, 2019, and

WHEREAS, unprecedented circumstances resulting from the pandemic in the spring of 2020 required unusual, unanticipated, and significant adjustments to the University enterprise and the community of Sewanee, and

WHEREAS, John M. McCardell, Jr., as the 16th Vice-Chancellor has led the University during his last weeks in office through a most novel situation, confronting the novel coronavirus, and providing calm leadership as the University community rose to the challenge of continuing the spring term remotely, and

WHEREAS, John McCardell has unselfishly adjusted and shortened his tenure as Vice-Chancellor in order to best position the University to face the questions and challenges of the fall term in the face of the coronavirus;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH that it does hereby convey its highest admiration to John M. McCardell, Jr., for his devotion to and sacrifice for the University at one of its most vulnerable times, in such a manner that in times to come, as Virgil has said, "Forsan Et Haec Olim Meminisse Iuvabit"—"Perhaps at some point in the future it will be pleasing to recall these things."

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Regents bestows the title **Vice-Chancellor Emeritus** on their devoted friend and colleague, John McCardell. Placet.